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SUBJECT: UN REQUESTS PAYMENT OF U.S. ASSESSMENTS FOR SIX
PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS

¶1. USUN has emailed to Department (IO/PSC-Tammy Pomerleau and EUR-IO/EX/FM-Alice Green) a copy of a note and three related annexes from the SYG dated January 18, 2008 concerning the financing of six peacekeeping operations. Annex One contains current amounts payable by the U.S. Government as follows:

Operation	Amount (\$)
UN Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF) 01/01/2008 to 06/30/2008	5,398,442
UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP) 12/16/2007 to 06/15/2008	3,490,296
UN Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUC) 01/01/2008 to 06/30/2008	151,454,440
UN Operation in Cote d'Ivoire (UNOCI) 01/16/2008 to 06/30/2008	58,919,610
African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (UNAMID) 07/01/2007 to 06/30/2008	331,980,986
UN Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad (MINURCAT) 03/01/2007 to 06/30/2007 07/01/2007 to 06/30/2008	290,628 47,479,923 ----- 47,770,551
Total Payable:	\$599,014,325

¶2. The note states that funds are urgently required for the financing of these operations and are due within thirty days of receipt of the note. Bank accounts to which payment may be made are contained in Annex Three.

¶3. Annex Two provides the legislative basis, the period covered, the gross and net amounts to be apportioned and the symbol of the document in which the details of the assessments of all member states will be reflected.

¶4. Action requested: Department is requested to facilitate payment of the peacekeeping missions noted above in paragraph ¶1.

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